The following Lieutenants have been promoted to the rank of Commander in His Majesty's

Frederic Godfrey Bird. Robert Woodyear Glennie. Thomas Hudson Foster. Basil Hew Fanshawe. Frank Osborne Creagh-Osborne. Harry Lewis d'Estoteville Skipwith Arthur Reginald Raby. Charles Duncan Johnson. Edward Reeves. Harry Mervyn Kemmis Betty. Francis Martin Leake. Hugh Lindsay Patrick Heard. Alexander Farrington. Wentworth Henry Davies Margesson. Sidney Richard Olivier. Herbert Charles John Grant. Vincent Barkly Molteno. Ernest Lionel Caldwell Muntz. Robert Sterling. Ernest Kindersley Loring. Frank Brandt. Walter Hugh Charles Samuel Thring. Thomas Leslie Thorpe-Doubble. Charles Tuthill Borrett. George Cuninghame Quayle. Charles Wispington Glover Crawford. Godfrey Marshall Paine. Alfred Ernlé Montacute Chatfield. Cyril Thomas Moulden Fuller. Thomas Francis Tregoye Michell. Arthur Kipling Waistell. Bernard Louis Majendie. Arthur Allan Morison Duff. Frederick Armand Powlett.

Dated 31st December, 1903.

Hugh Francis Paget Sinclair. Dated 1st January, 1904.

The following Sub-Lieutenants have been promoted to the rank of Lieutenant in His Majesty's Fleet:-

Eustace Leonard Ring John Harold Smith-Wright. Egerton Wootton Isaacson. \*John Alsager Collett.

\*Frederick John Butler Gibson.

Gervase William Heaton Scrope-Ferrers Niel O'Neill. Evelyn Culme-Seymour. Richard Gilkison Hurst. Geoffrey Corlett. John Ouchterlony Barron. Guy Hilhouse. \*Alexander Cook Underwood. \*Geoffrey Bashford. †Bernard Matheson Harvey. Herbert William Wyld. George Herbert Knowles. Kenneth MacLeod. George Basil Harrison. \*Charles Montagu Lawrence Scott. John Ponsonby Yule. Gerald Charles Wynter. Chichele Keppel Hart. Kennedy Gerard Brooke. George Calthorps Woodward. \*†Guy Bevan Alexander. †Henry Ernest Digby Hugh Willoughby. \*Robert Amcott Wilson. Hardinge Lilford Shephard. Albert Dangar Grant. Robert Henry Kane.

James Campbell Holmes. Ronaleyn Duncan Foster-Forbes. \*Charles Wills Tinson. Basil Richard Brooke. \*Lachlan Donald Ian MacKinnon. Percival Francis Willoughby. Edward Hornby Ovans. Dated 31st December, 1903.

- \*In cases marked \* promotion is subject to obtaining the certificate of efficiency required by Article 304, Clause 3, King's Regulations and Admiralty Instructions (Addenda).
- † Promotion in these cases is subject to completing the observations required by Article 290, Clause 1, King's Regulations and Admiralty Instructions (Addenda).

## War Office, Pall Mall, 1st January, 1904.

1st Life Guards, Captain Edwin B. Cook to be Major, vice Brevet Lieutenant-Colouel G. Carter, promoted Lieutenant-Colonel, half-pay.

Dated 29th November, 1903. Surgeon-Lieutenant Basil Pares to be Surgeon-Captain. Dated 14th November, 1903.

14th Hussars, Major William G. Eley retires on retired pay. Dated 2nd January, 1904.

Captain Robert C. Stephen to be Major, vice W. G. Eley. Dated 2nd January, 1904.
Brevet Major Freeling R. Lawrence, D.S.O., from Supernumerary Captain, to be Captain, in succession to R. C. Stephen, an Adjutant of Imperial Yeomanry. Dated 2nd January, 1904.

18th Hussars, Lieutenant Major S. Purdey is seconded for service on the Staff. Dated 17th November, 1903.

Supernumerary Lieutenant Cecil D. Field to be Lieutenant, vice M. S. Purdey. Dated 17th November, 1903.

THE IMPERIAL YEOMANRY (IN SOUTH AFRICA). Unattached, Captain G. W. C. MacNeill relinquishes his Commission and is granted the honorary rank of Captain in the Army, with permission to wear the uniform of the Corps. Dated 6th December, 1903.

ROYAL REGIMENT OF ARTILLERY.

Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery, Brevet
Colonel Arthur H. C. Phillpotts, on completion
of five years' service as a Regimental Lieutenant-Colonel, is placed on half-pay. Dated 1st January, 1904.

Lieutenant-Colonel Henry C. Dunlop, from the Staff, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet Colonel A. H. C. Phillpotts. Dated 1st January, 1904.

The undermentioned Majors to be Lieutenant-Coloneis. Dated 9th December, 1903:-

Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Edward J. Granet, vice Brevet Colonel E. H. Pickwoad, C.M.G.,

Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Philip B. Taylor, vice E. J. Granet, removed on continuance in his appointment on the Staff.

The undermentioned Captains to be Majors.

Dated 9th December, 1903:— Brevet Major Herbert W. A. Christie, to complete establishment.

Garnier N. Cartwright, vice Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel P. B. Taylor.